

TUCSON CHOICE NEIGHBORHOODS PLANNING GRANT – OARP
JANUARY 14, 2016 MEETING SUMMARY

A Choice Neighborhoods Planning Grant meeting was held at 10:00 am on Thursday, January 14, 2016 for residents of the Tucson House. The purpose of this informational meeting was to provide an overview of the Choice Neighborhoods Planning Grant Application process. There were 49 people in attendance. City staff presented information in English, followed by an additional meeting and presentation in Spanish. Tucson House residents were encouraged to share their ideas and were notified that the building assessment was underway. Residents suggested that site-based and other social activities be incorporated into the Transformation Plan along with family-oriented housing, grocery shopping, and transportation services.

Tucson House residents will have additional opportunities to participate in the planning process, and will be asked to share their ideas for improvements to the public housing building and the Oracle Area Revitalization Project (OARP) neighborhoods. A Choice Neighborhoods suggestion box has been placed at the Tucson House to provide ongoing opportunities for public housing resident input.